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At page 15, line 6, please delete "Examples" and insert in place thereof --Example-.

At page 22, line 10, please delete "value".

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

9. (Amended) A process for production of a highly aromatic wort comprising the steps of:

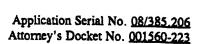
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- (1) adding a product according to claim \$ to a wort which is being boiled, wherein the product is added while boiling [during the step of] the wort [boiling]; and
- (2) further boiling the wort containing the above-mentioned product for at least 4 minutes.
- 11. (Amended) A process for production of a highly aromatic wort comprising the steps of:
- (1) adding a product according to claim to a wort after the wort has been boiled, wherein the product is added [boiling] during a [the] whirlpool rest step; and
- (2) maintaining the wort containing the product at a temperature of at least 95°C for at least 10 minutes.

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- 15. (Amended) A process for production of a highly aromatic wort comprising the steps of:
- extracting hops with a supercritical or subcritical carbon dioxide solvent
 obtain a carbon dioxide extract and a hop extract residue;
 - (2) separating a hop extract from the carbon dioxide extract;
 - (3) mixing the hop extract and the hop extract residue to obtain a product;
- (4) adding the product from step (3) to a wort which is being boiled.

 wherein the product is added while boiling [during] the wort [boiling]; and
 - (5) further boiling the wort containing the product for at least 4 minutes.
- 17. (Amended) A process for production of a highly aromatic wort comprising the steps of:
- extracting hops with a supercritical or subcritical carbon dioxide solvent
 obtain a carbon dioxide extract and a hop extract residue;
 - (2) separating a hop extract from the carbon dioxide extract;
 - (3) mixing the hop extract and the hop extract residue to obtain a product;
- (4) adding the product from step (3) to a wort which has been boiled.

 wherein said product is added after boiling [after] the wort [boiling] during a [the]

 whirlpool rest; and
- 5) maintaining the wort containing the product at a temperature of at least 95°C for at least 10 minutes.

